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Transmitted herewith is an election with amendment in the above-identified application.

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims (Small Entity)	19	-	40	0	18.00 ( 9.00)	0
Independent claims (Small Entity)	3	-	7	0	86.00 (43.00)	0
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The following amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application. Please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks as follows:

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